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THEATRE-ROYAL.

THE Public are most respectfully informed, that the MANAGER has this moment received a letter from Mrs JORDAN, acquainting him, That she cannot possibly be in Edinburgh in time to perform, till the middle of next week, when the COUNTRY GIRL will be presented, with Entertainments, as will be expressed in the bills for the day.

EDINBURGH, JULY 10. 1789.

RIDING HATS & MILLINERY GOODS.

ROBERTSON, Prince's Street, Edinburgh, begs leave to acquaint the Ladies, that she is just returned from London, and brought down variety of bonnets, hats, caps, &c. painted tiffanies, shaded fringe, gold and silver ditto for trimmings, the peasant feathers, offrich ditto and flowers, cheap black and blown lace, crapes, gauzes, &c. likewise the different sorts of new riding hats and bands, which ladies may depend upon having trimmed the same as at the principal shops in London, and at much lower prices.

PAINTINGS.

There is now on Exhibition and Sale in the large Room in the late Lord President's house, South Bridge Street, A COLLECTION of PAINTINGS by the most eminent Artists, the property of the late Walter Ross, writer to the signet. There are in this Collection, among other valuable Pictures, capital specimens of the works of the following masters, viz.

Panini,	Brughiel,	Weenire,
Rubens,	Cupp,	Hemskirk,
Peter de Neiff,	Teniers,	Coyell,
Rembrandt,	Claude Lorraine,	Jordan of Antwerp, &c.
Vanderweldt,	Fergue,	

The knowledge and natural good taste of the proprietor, cultivated by the opportunities of access, which he has had for several years to all the fairs and exhibitions in London, have enabled him to make a judicious, though not a numerous collection, remarkable for the respectability of the masters, the variety of the subjects, and the originality of the Pictures.

There will likewise be sold, a number of ANTIQUE BUSTS, BRONZES, &c. collected in London at a considerable expense. These, as being seldom to be met with in this country, merit the attention of the virtuoso and antiquarian.

The paintings are all in good condition, and most of them elegantly framed.

The hours of exhibition and conditions of sale, are particularly mentioned in the Catalogue, which are to be had at the shop of A. Hill bookbinder, Croft, price 1s. No admittance without a Catalogue.

LONDON, NEWCASTLE, EDINBURGH, AND GLASGOW.

COMMON STAGE WAGGONS.

For the quicker Conveyance of Goods from London.

MESS. JACKSONS, JENNINGS, and HOWEYS, return their grateful thanks to their Friends and the Public in general for their many past favours, and beg leave to acquaint them, that on Saturday morning, the 27th inst. they purpose the above Wagon leaving their warehouse at Mr Jobling's White Horse, Cripplegate, London, and will continue to do so every week, and arrive at Edinburgh early on Saturday morning, which is twelve working days; and at Glasgow on Monday, in fourteen working days, which is three days sooner than usual.—Sets out from Glasgow every Tuesday at twelve o'clock precisely, and from Edinburgh every Wednesday noon, and arrives at their warehouse in London in fourteen working days.—Also, the Wagon continues to arrive at their warehouse at JOHN ANDERSON'S, Crammarket, Edinburgh, every Wednesday morning, as usual, and one wagon sets out for Glasgow. The wagons set out from Edinburgh for London, and the several parts in Edinburgh, as formerly, upon Wednesdays and Saturdays, and arrives as usual.

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ANY Person who has not lodged their claims against GRIEVE WILSON, Merchant in Dunbar, is requested they will do it before the 20th July, either with James Hay, writer to the signet, Hanover Street, Edinburgh, or with Grieve Wilson at Dunbar.

AT LONDON—FOR LEITH, THE CERES.

James McIntosh Miller, Lying at Miller's Wharf, taking in goods for Leith, Edinburgh, and country adjacent, and will sail the 18th July.

The Ceres is a new and strong built vessel, falls, and about 200 tons burden.

This vessel has excellent accommodation for passengers, who may depend upon the best usage.

The Master to be spoke with at the New England Coffee-house, mornings and evenings on board the ship.

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FOR ANTIGUA, THE BRIG CORNWALLIS,

CAPTAIN ANDERSON.

Lying at Greenock, taking on board goods, and will be clear to sail on the 20th inst. This vessel falls remarkably fast, and has good accommodation for passengers.

For freight or passage, apply to Mr John Graham, Greenock, Adam Lightbody, Esq. Glasgow, or Mr Duncan MacKellar in Edinburgh.

Greenock, JULY 7. 1789.

FOR HALIFAX, IN NOVA SCOTIA, THE SHIP NEPTUNE.

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BOROUGH of BERWICK UPON TWEEDE.

July 1. 1789.

NOTICE is hereby given, That there will be an examination of Candidates to fill up the present vacancy in the station, at the Latin Grammar School of this Corporation, on the 20th day of July instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon; at which time and place any person or persons properly qualified, may attend, bringing testimonials of their moral characters. Gentlemen of undoubted honour and learning are to examine the several candidates, and they are to return the person best qualified. The salary is 30l. a-year.

COPARTNERY DISSOLVED.

THE Copartnery carried on by DAVID FLEMING and SAMUEL DOUGLAS, under the Firm of Fleming and Douglas, merchants in Glasgow, was dissolved on the 2d day of April last, and the business is now carried on by the said David Fleming.

David Fleming. Sam. Douglas.

HOUSES IN PERTH AND EDINBURGH.

To be SOLD by public roup, within the Exchange Coffee-house, Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 12th August next, at six o'clock afternoon.

I. THAT DWELLING-HOUSE or TENEMENT of LAND, high and laigh, back and fore, with the pertinents belonging to the heirs of Mrs David Murray, on the west side of the High Street of Perth, and the West Port thereof, as the same are presently possessed by Alexander McEwen dyer, David Peter merchant, and others. These subjects extend in front along the high street about 59 feet, and in breadth about 24 feet, and are held burgh, and situated in a very public thriving place of the town.

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The following CERTIFICATE is published at the request of the under-mentioned, Nobility, &c. who have honoured the proprietor with their certificates for the benefit of mankind.

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The above medicine is also sold in Scotland by Mr Wylie, Dumfries—R. Morrison and Son, Perth—Mr Menzies, Glasgow—Mr Garden, Aberdeen—and in most of the principal towns of England and Ireland.

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The proprietors of the coal-works, lying contiguous to the harbour of Ayr, are now extending their works upon a scale to give a constant and ready supply to shipping, without being detained. They have now sunk to the under-lease, which is a fine flint coal, and they expect to turn out the coal in a few weeks. As this under-lease works small and of an excellent quality, and the upper-lease works small and is of an aking quality, the two mixed will give great satisfaction.

LANDS IN STIRLINGSHIRE.

To be SOLD within the Coffee-house of Stirling, on Friday the 31st July inst. at four o'clock afternoon.

ALL and Hall these LANDS in the Grange of Newton of Bothkennar, Houses, Yards, Grass, and Pertinents, of bothkennar, of nine acres of ground, and upwards, lying in the parishes of Bothkennar, and at present possessed by John Simpson. These lands are of the best kirkie soil, of easy access, hold of the Crown, and are rated in the cess books at 21l. 14s. 10d. Scots, of valued rent.

The tenant will show the grounds, and the articles of roup with the progress of write, are to be seen in the hands of John Burn, writer in Stirling.

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TO THE

FREEHOLDERS of the COUNTY of AYR.

Kilbuck, July 9. 1789.

SIR ANDREW CATHCART begs leave to acquaint his Friends, That the Sheriff-Depute has received the writ for the election of a Member to represent the County in Parliament, in place of Colonel Montgomery, who has vacated the seat, and has fixed Monday the 3d of August next for the their attendance.

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D. WILSON returns his most grateful thanks to the Nobility and Gentry who have favoured him with their company, and hopes for the continuance of their favours. He begs leave to acquaint the Public in general, that his accommodations are this year greatly enlarged; and having the Castle of Roslin to entertain companies in, none can be disappointed of a room.

Strawberries, Good Cream, and Fruits in their season.

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may apply to William Scott, solicitor at law, Edinburgh.

N. B. If not sold, the Brewery, Malting, Dwelling House, and others, possessed by Mr Gordon, will be let from Martinmas next.

SALE OF LANDS IN AYRSHIRE.

To be SOLD by public roup, within the Council Chamber of Kilmarnock, on Friday the 24th day of July 1789, between the hours of five and six afternoon.

TWENTY and equal half of the five pound Land of COR-

RATH, lying in the parish of Darnley, consisting

of 93 acres of rich arable and meadow ground, divided into

small inclosures. There is a commodious mansion-house

with a complete set of offices upon the premises, which

"That the Committee immediately withdraw, and consider the said papers." Ordered.
The Committee immediately withdrew, and in about three hours came to a
DECISION ON THE REQUESTED REPORT.
Mr. Pulteney, the Chairman, brought up the report, which was read at the table as follows:
"The Committee appointed to take into consideration the minutes of the examination before the Privy Council, have considered the same, and come to the following Resolution:—
"Resolved, That from a comparative view of the Prices of Wheat and Flour in France and England, That 20,000 Sacks of Flour ought not to be exported."

MESSAGE FROM THE LORDS.
Received a message from the Lords, of their concurrence to several road and inclosure bills, to the Tontine bill, the Pawnbrokers bill, and the Indemnity bill, without any amendment. And that their Lordships would proceed further in the trial of Warren Hastings, Esq; to-morrow.

INDIA COMPANY'S DEBT.
The Chancellor of the Exchequer, preparatory to the consideration of the petition of the East India Company, moved for several accounts relative to their debts in India and England, which were ordered to be laid before the House.

TOBACCO.
The order of the day being read for the House going into a Committee on the Tobacco bill, Mr. Hobart took the chair.

Mr. Stone and Mr. Harrison were then called in as evidence in support of the bill, and having been examined until eleven o'clock, they withdrew.

Mr. Watkin Lewes immediately rose for the purpose of putting an end to the bill, by moving for the Chairman's leaving the chair. He entered at length into a general reprobation of the bill, not only as being in its principle destructive to the liberties of Englishmen, but in its regulations so particularly oppressive upon the tobacco manufacturers, as to render it impossible, if the bill should be carried into a law, for them to proceed in their business. He moved, "That the Chairman leave the chair."

Mr. Dundas remained on the stage of the business in which the worthy Alderman had thought proper to make a motion with intent of putting an end to the bill. He could neither consider it to be candid or fair. He ought to have let the Committee at least go into a discussion of the clauses, when, if the bill was found to be objectionable, a motion to get rid of it would come with much more propriety than at present.

Mr. S. Smith declared himself in support of the motion. It was impossible, he said, for the bill to be carried into effect, without destroying the manufacture.

The Hon. Dudley Ryder rose in support of the bill, and expressed his amazement at a proposition, after the House had received so much evidence, to put an end to the business, without even comparing the information they had received with the plan proposed to be carried into effect. He could not conceive what were the reasons which induced the worthy Alderman to move, and the Hon. Gentleman to support the motion just made, unless they were, first, that the House was not sufficiently ripe to decide on the question; or, secondly, a wish to induce the House, by getting rid of the business in this manner, to reprobate the measure.

Sir Joseph Mawbey said, if the present motion was pressed to a division, he should most certainly vote against it, conceiving it not to be made in the proper stage of the bill, as every argument offered against it would, with greater propriety, be brought forward in another stage. He considered the motion to be by no means candid, but, on the contrary, preposterous and absurd.

Alderman Sanbridge said, preposterous and absurd the motion might be considered by the Honourable Baronet, he should be preposterous and absurd enough to support it. He considered every extension of the Excise to be so detestable and dangerous, that it was determined ever to vote against it. He contended, that the bill would destroy its own object, and, by driving the manufacturer out of the kingdom, materially lessen the revenue already received. In the bill he saw that danger. In postponing it to another session, no evil consequences whatever could arise. He said, instead of the present motion being carried preposterous, the time in which the bill was brought in more justly merited that appellation; it had, however, been the practice of the last four years, to bring in measures of the greatest importance at the end of a session, the reason for which, he said, might be concluded from an observation of the House, at a late period of the Session, when they would find country gentlemen in general absent, and the Treasury Bench always ready with a formidable number. He declared that it would be impossible for the bill to be got through with for several months, as it consisted of considerably above one hundred clauses, each of which, he said, would be debated as obnoxious.

Colonel Phipps remarked on the general invective uttered by the Hon. Alderman on the present admission, and particularly for their having delayed the present business to so late a period, which was, he said, occasioned by a circumstance that must recall to the minds of Gentlemen an accident of a melancholy nature, which was now however followed by one of general joy. The Hon. Alderman had asserted much against the bill; if these assertions were well founded, he saw no objection to the going into a Committee, where the assertions might be substantiated.

Mr. Alderman Newman was for the motion, and objected to the bill, as by extending the Excise laws, it tended to narrow the limits of our liberty, and might be made an instrument of oppression.

Mr. Dempster considered it the duty of the House to go on with the bill, and endeavour to make it answer the salutary purpose of putting an end to the numerous frauds on the article of tobacco. If, on the other hand, the bill should be so objectionable that it ought not to pass, then it would be time enough to get rid of it.

Mr. Thornton wished the opposition to the bill to have been made in a future stage; if, however, the motion was pressed in the present instance, he should vote against the bill.

Mr. Alderman Watson spoke strongly against the bill, and argued on the utter impracticability of taking it.

Mr. Watkin Lewes again spoke, and persisted in his motion, on which the Committee divided,

Ayes — 11
Noes — 32

Majority 21 for the bill.
The House was then adjourned, and immediately adjourned, at half an hour after twelve.

LONDON—JULY 8.
Yesterday morning the Right Hon. Lord Elgin, arrived in town from Paris, which place he left on Sunday last.

He travelled the journey in less than fifty hours. He confirms the account of tumults in the provinces. At Metz, the dearth of flour was such, that the people driven by hunger and despair, collected in great bodies, and attacked the houses of several persons, whom they suspected of hoarding meal. The Governor drew out two French regiments; and having furnished them with ammunition, ordered them to act against the mob. They refused. The Governor ordered them back to their quarters, but without taking from them the ammunition. Two German regiments were then brought out, which roused the indignation of the national troops, who burst from their quarters, and joined the mob. A dreadful havoc was the consequence. Upwards of a thousand men on each side were killed, and at length the German regiments were overpowered. The Governor escaped in time from the fury of the populace. Such was the account of the affray in Paris when Lord Elgin left it; but no regular statement of it had come before the public.

The foreign troops from Lorraine and Alsace were said to be on their march to Paris and Versailles. Marshal Broglie, who is to have the command in the life of France, is known to be a Royalist. The popular party, however, have no apprehensions. The national army is in possession of the principal towns; so that no money can be levied from the people without their concurrence.

The most gross and indecent caricatures are handed about on the King and Queen, and the most atrocious liberties taken with their characters.

The Duke d'Orleans played a politic as well as a popular game in leaning to the Third Estate: if ever the claim of succession to the throne of France came to be disputed between his Highness and the present King of Spain, which is far from improbable, the interest of the French commonalty will be found of great weight in the contest.

The King of Spain's late protest against any proceeding of the States General that may affect his claim to the inheritance of the Crown of France by descent, has caused a sudden coolness between the Courts of Versailles and Madrid.

The French nobility are still far from appeased, and seemed determined to oppose, by force of arms, the usurpations of the Commons. They are making strong appeals to the army to join them in vindicating their ancient rights and unfulfilled honour.

The news received on Saturday night, by express from the Duke of Dorset, is said to be, that M. Necker has incurred the King's displeasure for having advised him to abandon the resolutions he had taken; and that his Majesty has appointed Marshal Broglie Generalissimo of his forces; a circumstance very unusual in time of peace. The inference deduced from this, is that his Majesty will use his utmost efforts to introduce a change in the present state of his kingdom. Thirty thousand troops are marching from Lorraine to Paris, which, with those in the vicinity, are to form a camp of 50,000 men. From many concurrent circumstances, there is indeed reason to believe, that the freedom of France, if ever it is established, will not be so easily effected as was generally supposed.

This morning a messenger arrived at the Secretary of State's office, with letters from his Majesty, at Weymouth, by which we were informed of his Majesty's perfect state of health.

His Royal Highness the Duke of York is now so far re-established in his health, as to have no remains of fever, or of any inflammatory symptom. There will, therefore, be no longer a written Report of the state of his Royal Highness's health, for public information, at York House.

Yesterday at noon, their Royal Highnesses the Prince of Wales and the Duke of Cumberland, paid a visit to the Duke of York, at his house in Whitehall. We are happy to say, that his Royal Highness continues in a fair way of recovery.

Yesterday afternoon, the Archbishop of Canterbury paid a visit to his Royal Highness the Duke of York, at his house, Whitehall.

On Saturday his Royal Highness the Duke of York was declared out of all danger, his fever having entirely left him; and in the course of this week, if his strength continues, his Royal Highness will be permitted to take an airing.

His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales is the only one of the Royal Family, beside the Duke of York, who has had the measles.

Two frigates and two sloops are ordered to Weymouth to attend on the Royal Family, should they be inclined to go on the water.

When Mr. Eden returns from France, his services are to be rewarded with a *Dorset*, and the Secretaryship for the Foreign Department.

The Duke of Leeds resigns for this, to enjoy the *obsequium dignitatis*.

General Wallington gave a very sumptuous entertainment on the 4th of June, in honour of the King of England's recovery! The Envoys of England, France, Holland, and Portugal, were present.

The East India Company have petitioned the House of Commons for farther assistance; they are to be allowed to add one million more to their capital stock; the present proprietors who are possessed of stock, during the shutting of the books, are to have the offer of the new stock at 166, without the dividend. The Company are also to have leave to borrow 350,000 l. on bonds. The cause of their present distress is owing to the expense of the late war, which has turned out greater than was expected.

The India Company's sales have fallen greatly short last year; the amount of the sales of India goods the 1st of March 1788, was, L. 2,055,886
And on the 1st of March 1789, only L. 1,721,316

Less last year than the year before L. 334,070
Yesterday morning the Underwriters received intelligence of the arrival of the Prudentia, Capt. Kirchbarn, an Imperial East Indian, at Portsmouth, from Bengal.

Same morning some dispatches were received at the Secretary of State's Office from Newfoundland. They contain an account of the late arrival on the Banks, of some of the squadron of men of war for that station.

The letter which follows, was addressed by the Prime Minister of Denmark, to the Danish Consul General at Leghorn, and dated the 23d of May.

SIR,

"It is with peculiar satisfaction I am able to inform you, that Denmark will in no wise be interested in the present war, and that her neutrality is absolutely admitted; so that her flag will enjoy the same advantages as in times of profound peace. I beg you will cause this information to be made public throughout the country in which you reside, for the purpose of removing the doubts which might make the navigators of our own nation, and all merchants and underwriters in general, afraid to have any concern in ventures under our flag. I am, &c."

BERNSTORFF.

Sunday evening, Capt. Roper, of Ulverston, in his passage from the Baltic, being becalmed about five

leagues to the westward of the Orkneys, the sailors proposed to put down some lines, for fish. In the space of two hours, they caught above five hundred weight, amongst which was a skate 70lb. a turbot 80lb. and a quantity of cod from 15 to 30lb.—Their tackle was bad, or it is probable they might have doubled the quantity in the time.—If too much of the public attention were not ingrossed by other matters, this would furnish a hint which might be improved to great advantage.

PRICE OF STOCKS, JULY 8.
Bank Stock, —
New 4 per cent. 1777, 97½
5 per cent. Ann. 1785, shut,
114½ ex div.
3 per cent. red. 76½ a.s.
3 per cent. con. shut, 76 ex
div.
3 per cent. 1726, —
Long Ann. 22 11-16th,
2½
Ditto Short 1778 and 1779,
115
India Stock, shut.
3 per cent. India Ann. —
Loyalist Debentures, 5½ disc.
WIND AT LEITH, JULY 7. S. W.
BANKRUPT.
Maria Noyce and Elizabeth Noyce of Christchurch, in the county of Southampton, milliners and copartners.—James Richardson and Peter Richardson of Cornhill, London, brokers and copartners.—Samuel Knowles of Gorton, in the county of Lancashire, tanner.—Thomas Wells of Theobald's-road, in the city of Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, carpenter.—Thomas Crisp of the parish of St Philip and Jacob, in the county of Gloucester, maltster and common brewer.—Thomas Lench, late of the parish of St Swinburn, in the city of Worcester, butcher.—John Barracough of Olden, in the county of York, merchant.—William Ball of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, dealer.—John Whitehouse, late of Stacey-street, in the parish of St Giles in the Fields, in the county of Middlesex, but now a prisoner in the King's Bench Prison, coachsmith, plater, and founder.—John Thrupp of Colchester, in the county of Essex, shop-keeper.—Richard Thurgood of Fenchurch-street, in the city of London, cutter.

EDINBURGH.

Mrs Wemyss of Wemyss was safely delivered of a son at Wemyss Castle, on the 9th instant.
On the 29th ult. died at Portlory, in the 89th year of her age, Mrs Gordon, relict of William Gordon of Farflyn, Esq.

Died on the 5th of April last, on his passage from London to Jamaica, George McLachlan, Esq; brother of William McLachlan, Esq; of Auchintroig.

REFORM.

Extract of a letter from the Solicitor for Reform, at London to the Committee of Convention.

"House of Commons, July 6. 1789.
"There was a debate on Reform of above two hours, in which Mr Sheridan made a very admirable speech. It is now one-half past seven. Mr Dundas objected to the Reform, and said we should have had a previous Committee. Mr Sheridan, after some observations, closed with him, and a previous Committee is to be moved for next session. This was the reason why there was no division of the House."

We are informed, the friends to the Reform of the Royal Boroughs are resolved to persevere with steadiness, and to apply to Parliament every year, till this great national object is attained. It was by perseverance that the vote respecting the Middlesex election was rescinded, and it was not till after many decisions in favour of the Reform, that it was at length repealed.

Extract of a letter from Portsmouth, July 4.

"Captain Smith of the *Peggy*, arrived here this morning from Leith, bound for Plymouth, with convicts destined for Botany Bay.

"The Captain describes his situation as very unhappy during the voyage, the convicts being always on the catch to gain their ends, which were to murder him and his crew, two men excepted, who they were to reserve for the purpose of navigating the ship to some unfrequented harbour, where they expected to make their escape. They had so far effected their purpose on the 1d inst. that most part of them either cut their throats, or took their wrists out of them, with the loss of the skin of the back of their hands. The Captain, however, got five of the ringleaders made fast to an anchor, and thought himself under the necessity of putting in here on account of their conduct. On his applying to the Admiral for help round to Plymouth, the Southampton frigate was ordered to attend him, which, he says, gave him great peace of mind. Indeed, it is wonderful such a parcel of fellows should have been sent a coasting voyage, without a sufficient guard to protect the sailors who navigated the ship, who might say with the Latin poet,

Exsangui dextera torpet

Remigis, et propriam metuebat navita merces."

Last night, the Summer-house in the policy of Red-braes, possessed by Sir Hew Crawford, was broke into, by cutting the sash window and inner shutter, and linen, &c. to some amount, carried off from a packing-box.—A reward of ten guineas is hereby offered to any person who may discover any of the persons concerned, so that they may be brought to justice.

In justice to the fruit-vendors, whose strawberries were seized on Thursday morning, for being deficient in measure, as mentioned in our last, we think it our duty to mention, that upon further investigation into the matter, the strawberry baskets were found of the legal standard, and that the measure by which they had been checked, contained three gills more than what the Scots pint ought to be. The strawberries and baskets were in consequence returned to their owners.

Yesterday, William Tennent and George Molli-fon, two old offenders, were apprehended in Muffelburgh, and afterwards brought to and imprisoned in the tolbooth of Edinburgh. They had gone into a change-house near Fifeherrow, called for some liquor, and while drinking it, picked the lock of a chest of drawers, and stole from thence thirty shillings in silver and upwards. This is a common practice with them. Tennent, who is a big stout man, had in his possession five guineas in gold, eleven half crown pieces, and two pound ten shillings in small silver, which, there is reason to suspect, he may have come by in the same manner.

This day, John Mathieson and Malcolm Macgrigor were served with an indictment at the instance of his Majesty's advocate, accused of stealing from a lapidary in town several black seals of different kinds, and of very considerable value. Their trial is expected to come on before the High Court of Justiciary on Monday fortnight.

On Monday night, as some persons were sitting in a public house in the Gallowgate, Glasgow, one of them took up a pistol, not knowing it was loaded, which went off, shivered the window, and some pieces of the broken glass cut a child in the face; this should warn every person not to leave or handle firearms carelessly.

Wednesday—Aldridge was whipped through Glasgow for returning from banishment.

The fluctuation in the Exchange between Russia and Amsterdam and London is uncommonly great. Some years ago, it was 28 d. to 51 d. per ruble. It is now only 28 d. to 29 d.

Cent is the only coinage the Americans have of their own. No less than 300 tons of them were contracted for by Congress in the year 1787, to be coined at the rate of 50 ton per annum; the contractors were also bound down to make them all of the famous Jersey copper.—They are a little larger than the British halfpence. No British copper now passes in the United States;—silver and gold coins of all nations, however, pass current. The Congress have not yet ordered a silver coinage.

Thermometer and Barometer since our last.

Therm.	July 9. 8 P. M.	Bar.	July 9.
Thurs.	59	29.05	
Friday	59	29.50	
Saturday	63	29.50	

PRICES OF GRAIN AT HADDINGTON, July 10.

	First.	Second.	Third.
Wheat,	31s. 0d.	30s. 0d.	28s. 0d.
Barley,	10 0	12 0	14 0
Oats,	14 3	13 4	12 6
Peas and Beans,	13 0	12 0	10 6

SOUND INTELLIGENCE.

June 23. Fortitude, Dobie, from Memel, for Kirkcaldy, timber, &c.

24. Elizabeth, Bowman, from Sunderland, for Stockholm, coal.

25. Industry, Sharp, from Rotterdam, for Petersburg, ballast.

26. Nancy, Grinlay, from Rotterdam, for Stockholm, ballast.

27. Ajax, Fleck, from Memel for Cadix, ditto.

28. Industry, Smith, from Liverpool for Koningburgh, goods.

29. Mathieson, Crombie, from Montrose for Memel.

30. Betty, Purves, from Memel for Innerkeithing.

31. Jean and Sophia, Pateron, from Pillaw for Dunkirk, wheat.

32. Margaret and Mirror, Maclellan from Stockholm, for Dublin, iron and deals.

33. Experiment, McKelvie, from Memel for Ayr, timber.

34. Charlotte, Sharp, from ditto for Salepota, ditto.

35. The Bredalbanc, Campbell, for Memel, and the Kinross, Turklin, for Petersburg, mentioned in our last as remaining wind-bound, failed the 24th cur.

WOOD AND HOWDEN.

Elgin, June 27. 1789. Wind S.W.

ARRIVED AT LEITH,

July 9. Peggy, Blackwood, from Glasgow, goods.

Eliza, Sampson, from London, ditto.

Christina and Margaret, Scotland, from Perth, grain.

John and William, Brodie, from Borrowbrounne, ballast.

Leith, Clifton, from Riga, with goods.

Hopewell, Howard, from Portsmouth, goods.

SAILED.

Providence, Innes, for Innerkeithing, goods.

Peggy, Scott, for Borrowbrounne, goods.

Elizabeth, Brown, for Dunbar, goods.

ENQUIRY.

SOME time ago enquiry was made at Mrs Macquern's tin shop at the Nether-bow, for James Clark, a young man, who had learned the tin-smith business with her, and for his Relations; it will be very obliging if the person who made the enquiry will send his name and particular address to Alexander Grant, writer to the signet in Merchant Street; and as the message was brought to the shop by a porter or chairman, that bearer will be handsomely rewarded, upon applying to Mr Grant, if he can give information of particulars.

July 11. 1789.

PAINTINGS, DRAWINGS, & PRINTS.

A Choice Collection by the first Masters.
To be Sold by Auction.
IN MARTIN'S Sale Room, Old Bank Close, on Monday the 13th July, and the three following evenings.

The sale to begin at half past seven o'clock.
The whole to be sold without reserve, and may be viewed on the days of sale, from eleven till three o'clock afternoon.

Catalogues to be had at the place of sale, and at Mr Martin's shop, Lawn-market.

MRS A. ROSS AND CO.

BERNARD STREET, LEITH.
Have at present brought down from London,
A Large Assortment of LINEN-DRAPERY, and the most fashionable Goods in the Haberdashery and Millinery line.

As Mrs Ross was in London during the time of the late large sale at the India House, she has brought home a large assortment of very fine Millins, to be sold considerably lower than what they have been for this some time past.

DUNFERMLINE CLUB.

THE THIRD ANNUAL MEETING OF THE DUNFERMLINE CLUB is to be held in Cameron's Tavern, head of Leith Walk, upon Saturday the 24th of August next, being the last day of the Edinburgh races, when it is expected the Members will attend.

Dinner on the table precisely at four o'clock.
N. B. Those who are to attend will please leave their names with the waiter two days before the Meeting.

LANDS IN THE SHIRE OF PERTH.

TO BE SOLD.
THE Lands and Estate of FOSSAWAY, lying within the parish of Fossaway, and Sheriffdom of Perth.

The neat rent, after deduction of public burdens, is about 1861. Sterling. Three of the tacks expire at Martinmas 1791. The only other tack is current till Martinmas 1793. This estate consists of above 1470 Scots acres, partly arable, partly pasture. The pasture may be made equal, if not superior to any sheep-walk in the Orkneys. The rents are low, so that a considerable advance on the expiry of the present leases may be depended upon. The lands hold a bench of a subject, and the tenants are valued and exacted.

The progress of wits, rental, and survey of the estate, may be seen in the hands of Mr Erskine, clerk to the signet, to whom application for a private bargain may be made.

FROM OPORTO TO LEITH.

THE BACCHUS.

Gha. Elder Master,
She will be at Oporto about the first of August, and returns direct to Leith with what wines or other goods may offer.

Freight—45 s. per ton.
Merchants sending their orders to Archibald, Elder, and Co. or Martin Moubay, Edinburgh, will be properly attended to.

CORN MARKET.

London, July 6, 1879.
 OWING to the unsettled state of the weather, and some apprehensions that the Privy Council will suffer some quantity of Flour to go to France (where, and in Holland, they are in extreme want of Bread Corn), our prices advanced this morning full 3 s. per quarter. The little barley that appeared sold, as last week, to the Distillers, who very properly consider, that in case we should have an unfavourable harvest, old barley will be very valuable, as the country is nearly drained by the exports. Notwithstanding the late advance in barley, Malt remains without amendment; so does Rye and Peas, and Beans were rather cheaper. The supply of Oats being very large, the sale was heavy, but they obtained the same prices. Our port opens to day for Wheat and continues that against all other grain.

Essex Wheat, 31, 34, 36, 38 s.
 Suffolk ditto, 30, 34, 38 s. fine.
 Yorkshire ditto, 30, 34, 37 s.
 Rye, 27, 29 s.
 Barley, 22, 24 s.
 Malt, 30, 33 s. Norfolk, 34 s. 6 d.
 Oats, 16, 17 s. 6 d. long.
 Ditto Poland, 16, 18 s. 6 d.
 Horse Beans, 21, 22 s.
 Tick ditto, 19, 20 s. Suffolk, 20 s. 6 d.
 White Peas, 22, 24 s. Boilers, 27, 29 s.
 Grey ditto, 21, 23 s.
 Rivets, 44, 49 s. per quarter.

POST ROAD DISTRICT.

SIR Archibald Hope, conveyer of the Trustees of the Post Road District, hereby requests the Trustees to meet at 1 o'clock, in order to fix the places where the 17th current, at one o'clock, and to frame an advertisement for letting the same.

FIRST NOTICE—SECOND TERM.

IN the Process of Ranking and Sale, raised and depending before the Lords of Council and Session, at the instance of George Home, Esq. of Braxton, factor and manager for Messrs. Douglas, Heron, and Co. late bankers in Ayr, with concurrence of his Majesty's Advocate, for his Majesty's interest, against **ALEXANDER ORR**, eldest son of the deceased Alexander Orr, writer to the signet, and his Creditors, Lord Stansfield, Ordinary thereto, by interlocutor dated 8th July 1879, assigned the 28th of July current, to the several creditors who have not produced their interests, to produce their several claims against the bankrupt or his estate, and whole vouchers thereof, with certification, as in a reduction and impetration, conform to the Act of Sederunt, and appointed this notice thereof so as the same may come to the knowledge of all concerned. **O. M. BRUCE** Clerk.

NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS OF ARCHIBALD McDOWAL, Late Merchant in Edinburgh.

MR McDOWAL's Creditors are desired to meet in the Old Exchange Coffee-house, on Monday, the 8th of August next, at twelve o'clock noon, in order to give directions to the trustee in Edinburgh, belonging to Mr McDOWAL, and to fix the allowance to be given the trustee for his management.

And the trustee having reason to think that there are several creditors who have not yet lodged their claims and grounds of debt, he requests them to take notice, that the nine calendar months from the date of the sequestration, expire on the 4th of August, within which time their claims and grounds of debt, with the Creditors' oaths for proving the same, must be lodged in the trustee's hands, otherwise they cannot be entitled to any share in the first distribution of the debtor's estate. **THOS. W. BAIRD**.

Edinburgh, July 11, 1879.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

THE Trustees on the sequestrated estate of John Brough, builder and cabinet maker in Edinburgh, have made up a state of the estate, and also a state of the debts which have been proved and lodged with them, both of which will lie with James Jollie clerk to the signet, one of the trustees for the inspection of all concerned, until Thursday the 10th day of September next, being twelve calendar months from the date of the sequestration, on which day, at twelve o'clock noon, the creditors are requested to meet in the house of Patrick Heron vintner in Edinburgh, for the purpose of receiving their first dividend, and giving directions as to the future management of the funds.—Of all which the trustees give this public intimation, in terms of the statute.

The trustees, with the approbation of the committee of the creditors, are to include in the first division of the funds the prices of the heritable subjects which were payable at Whit Sunday, but which, from circumstances known to the creditors, are only now in the course of settlement. Owing to this, the trustees have not yet had it in their power to make up the scheme of division. It will, however, be completed between the 1st of August next, and will then also lie with Mr Jollie, for the inspection of the creditors, until the said 10th September next.

Edinburgh, July 10, 1879.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

JAMES ROSE, Writer in Edinburgh, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **WILLIAM MACLEOD**, late Merchant in Edinburgh, having prepared a particular and general state of the bankrupt's affairs up to the 8th May 1879, (being twenty-one months from the date of the sequestration) which lie open for the inspection of all concerned, until Saturday the 8th day of August next, at 12 o'clock, when a general meeting of the creditors, in terms of the act of the 23d of his present Majesty, is hereby advertised to be held within the house of the trustee, in the New Town of Edinburgh, to give such orders as may appear necessary for the future management of the bankrupt's estate, &c.

Advised Sale of

Lands in the Neighbourhood of Dumfries.

TO be SOLD by auction, within the George Tavern in Dumfries, on Wednesday 26th August next, betwixt twelve and two o'clock afternoon.

Those parts of the Estate of **CARNALLOCH**, lying on the south side of the high road, leading from Dumfries to Moffat, in the following lots, viz.

LOT I. The Farm of **HEATH-HALL**.

LOT II. The Farm of **BROWNIG**, with that part of the Moss belonging thereto, which lies on the south east side of the new road from Dumfries to Lochmaben.

LOT III. The Farms of **LITTLE COT** and **CLUMPTOUN**, with the Mosses adjacent thereto, bounded by the said road to Lochmaben, on the south side the Darnuff plantation on the north, and the Mosses reserved for the use of those parts of the estate not intended to be sold on the east.

LOT IV. That part of the Farm of **DALSCONE**, possessed by Samuel Blunt, lying on the south side of the road from Moffat to Dumfries.

The whole lots above mentioned are within the parish of Dumfries, and little more than a mile distant from that town. There are extensive plantations on the lands, upwards of thirty years old, and all in a thriving condition. Any two or more of the above lots will be exposed together, or the whole in one lot, if purchasers incline.

At same time, will be exposed to sale, the Lands of **HOLM** and **CARSE**, lying in the parish of Holywood, possessed by Robert Burgess.

On each of the above mentioned lots, there are fine situations for building, with the advantage of a dry soil. Any person inclining to purchase by private bargain, may apply at the house of Carnalloch, or to Mr John Buhby, or Mr Robert Ramsay in Dumfries, or to Mr Loch in Goford's Glove, Edinburgh; any of whom will show copies of the rental, progress of writs, and articles of sale, and inform as to all other particulars.

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ALL Persons having claims on the deceased **MR WILLIAM SCOTT**, sen. Brewer in Leith, are desired to lodge notes of the same, with affidavits on the verity, with John Peat, writer in Edinburgh. It is entreated this may be done without delay, an accurate state of the deceased's debts being absolutely necessary for a final settlement amongst his children.

LANDS IN PEEBLES-SHIRE.

TO be SOLD by public roup, within a short period, as shall be expressed in a future advertisement.

THE LANDS of **SMITHFIELD**, situated near the town of Peebles, upon the high road leading from thence to Edinburgh, and consisting of about 74 acres.—These lands hold of the Crown, and afford a freehold qualification in the country, and there is an excellent house upon them, built within these few years.

THE LANDS of **WINKTON**, situated upon the same road, about a mile from the above, and consisting of about 273 acres.—These lands likewise hold of the Crown, and afford a freehold qualification.

The lands of Smithfield will be shown by applying at the house, and Winkton by the tenant.

For other particulars enquire at Stuart Moodie, writer to the signet.

SALE OF LANDS IN FIFE.

TO be SOLD by public roup, within the New Exchange Coffee-house of Edinburgh, on Monday the 10th of August next, betwixt twelve and one o'clock afternoon.

THE LANDS of **SOUTH FAWFIELD**, lying in the parish of Kilkenny, and consisting of about 312 acres, all inclosed and subdivided with stone dykes. The lands are in great order, as they have been in the natural possession of the proprietor for a number of years; and at least three-fourths of them are in old grass. There is a good road, and an excellent stone-quarry upon the lands, and plenty of lime in the neighbourhood.

The progress of writs, and a plan of the lands, are in the hands of John Young writer to the signet, who will inform as to further particulars.

SALE OF BELMOUNT.

TO be SOLD by public roup, within the Old Exchange Coffee-house, Edinburgh, on Wednesday 5th August 1879, between the hours of six and seven afternoon, and to be entered or set up at 5 o'clock.

THE HOUSE, PLEASURE GROUNDS, and ENCLOSURES of **BELMOUNT**, in the parish of Cumberphine, and county of Edinburgh; situated within two miles of the city of Edinburgh, on the great road leading to Linlithgow. The house is large, neatly finished, and in thorough repair, with office-houses of every kind, and fit to accommodate any gentleman's family.—The wood upon the estate is valuable.—The garden is well sheltered, and stocked with fruit-trees of the best kinds. The grounds, which consist of about 60 acres, Scots measure, is very completely fenced with stone walls, and subdivided into thirteen separate inclosures, all well watered, of a good soil, and laid down in the best order. The situation of this villa, upon the south side of Cumberphine hill, and commanding a beautiful and extensive prospect of Edinburgh, the Firth, and adjacent country, is so well known, that it is unnecessary to describe it.—For further particulars, apply to John Tait, writer to the signet, Park Place, Edinburgh, who will show the title-deeds, and has power to conclude a sale by private bargain.—The house and grounds will be shown on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, upon calling at the house of Belmont, from twelve to three o'clock afternoon.

SALE OF HOUSE & PARKS OF DALRY.

TO be SOLD by public roup, within the Old Exchange Coffee-house, upon Wednesday the 29th July 1879, betwixt the hours of six and seven afternoon.

THE HOUSE and PARKS of **DALRY**, situated about half-a-mile west of the city of Edinburgh. The parks consist of about 100 acres, and are divided into three parts, which have been fenced out at 9 l. yearly, the fee-duty of which is to be sold along with the lands. The house consists of three stories: in the first or ground storey, there is a very good dining room, small room off it, servants hall and a range of very good cellars; in the second storey, there is a large drawing room, and three bed rooms with closets; and in the third storey, there is a large room for a library, and three bed rooms with closets.—Without the house is a kitchen, with two very good servants' rooms, over it, and two cellars, one for coals, the other for ashes. The Office consists of a coach-house, stables for ten or twelve horses, and a byre, with hay-lofts and servants' apartments.—These subjects hold of the Crown for payment of a fee-duty of about 4 s. yearly. They are liable to no public burdens, excepting the land-tax and about 4 s. yearly of stipend; and they have right to a family seat in the body of the West Church, and to a seat for servants in the gallery.

John Tait, writer to the signet, Park Place, will inform as to further particulars. The premises will be shown upon applying at the house of Dalry.

TO be SOLD by public roup, within the Tontine Tavern, Glasgow, upon Wednesday the 16th of September next at one o'clock afternoon.

THE Twenty-four Shilling and Eight Penny Land of **ARTHURLIE**, and **HOGGER-GLEN**, being a part of the Five Merk Land of Arthurlie; and the Thirteen Shilling Land of old extent of Arthurlie, called the **WRAES**. These lands consist of 196 Scotch acres, are all sufficiently inclosed with stone dykes, or ditch and hedge. The hedges are in a thriving condition, and the lands are divided into thirty inclosures. The present free rent (valuing what is in the proprietor's own possession at a moderate rate, and including 8 l. 13 s. 6 d. Sterling of fee-duty) is about 200 l. Sterling; but, as the leases of the farms of Springhill and Wraes will expire in a few years, a very considerable rise of rent may be expected from them; as well as from the other lands, at the expiration of the leases.

Upon the lands of Arthurlie there is a good mansion-house, consisting of a dining-room, study, five bed-rooms, a kitchen, cellar, and separate apartments for servants, with a number of other conveniences, and a garden well stocked with fruit trees, and inclosed with a high stone wall.

On the lands of Springhill or Hogger-glen, there is a commodious house, consisting of a dining-room, five bed-rooms, a kitchen, and other conveniences; and being situated on an eminence, commands a view of the city of Glasgow, and country adjacent. The offices consist of a good stable, byre, barn, brewhouse, &c. all lately built, and slated in a most sufficient manner.

There is on the premises a good quantity of old timber, besides several young plantations, from eight to fifteen years old, all in a thriving condition.

These lands hold of a subject superior, for payment of a small fee-duty, lie within the parish of Neilston, and thire of Renfrew, six miles distant from Glasgow, three from Paisley, and one from Neilston. The post to and from Glasgow passes by the foot of the avenue every day.

These subjects lie in a populous neighbourhood, where there are ten bleachfields and printfields, besides cotton mills; and there are plenty of coal and lime within a mile's distance of the lands.

There is a good Mansion-house on both the lands of Arthurlie and Springhill, with about 200 acres of ground adjoining to each of them; and these lands will be exposed to sale either together or separately as purchasers incline.

The title-deeds, with a rental and plan of the lands, and conditions of sale, are to be seen in the hands of Thomas Buchanan writer in Glasgow; to whom, or to the proprietor at Arthurlie, any person inclining to purchase may apply; and a copy of the rental, inventory of the writings and conditions of sale, are to be seen in the hands of Edward Bruce, writer to the signet.

N. B. If agreeable to a purchaser, a considerable part of the money may lie in his hands.

SALE OF FARM STOCKING.

AT DYSART.

TO be SOLD at Dysart upon Tuesday the 14th July current. **THE** whole STOCKING and FARMING UTENSILS upon the Farm of Dysart and Balhelggy, which were in the natural possession of the late Colonel St Clair Sinclair, consisting of Horses, several very fine Milch Cows, fat Stots, Queys, and Calves bred upon the ground.—Also some Ewes and Lambs, and above two score of Old Widders.

A quantity of Grain of different kinds, part threshed and part in the straw.—Some fine old Hay, and a variety of other articles.

SALE OF LANDS IN PERTSHIRE.

TO BE SOLD.

THE Lands and Estate of **PITKEATHLY**, lying in the parishes of Dumbarny and Dron, and thirteenth of Perth.

These lands are pleasantly situated in Strathern, within five miles of Perth, near the turnpike road leading from thence to Kinross. There is a good mansion house upon the estate, and a large house for the accommodation of strangers at the mineral well, and a good deal of full-grown timber.

This estate affords a qualification to vote for a member of Parliament.

For further particulars, apply to James Keay, writer, Prince's Street, Edinburgh.

SALE OF AN ESTATE IN FIFE.

TO be SOLD, the Barony of **BALCANQUHALL**, lying in the parish of Strathmiglo, and shire of Fife.

This estate consists of 650 Scots acres, mostly arable. The present gross rent is 245 l. Sterling, out of which there is payable about 12 l. of public burthens. The lands are easy rented, to good and substantial tenants, and the farm steadings have been lately put into complete repair. The proprietor has right to the tithes which are valued, and as the parish kirk and manse have been lately rebuilt, no parochial burthens can come upon the estate for many years.

There are 200 acres of the estate inclosed and subdivided, with stone dykes, hedges, and very thriving belts of wood, which in a very few years will be of considerable value, it is otherwise capable of great improvement, will rise in the rent without any outlay, and affords a freehold qualification in the country.

The lands lie within four miles of the port of Newburgh, five of Kinross, and seven of Perth, has easy access to the great road leading between both, and the road from Kinross to Cupar goes along the estate.

A considerable part of the price will be left in the purchaser's hands, if agreeable to him.

For further particulars apply to the proprietor, Mr Sandilands of Nuthill, or John Young, writer to the signet.

INN AND FARM TO LET.

TO be LET—entered to immediately, Or at Martinmas or Whit Sunday first, as a tenant may incline.

THAT Commodious and well accustomed INN, known by the name of **The Queenberry Arms**, with the stables, coach house, barns, granary, pigeon-house, and garden thereunto belonging, situated within the burgh of Annan, upon the great road from London to Dublin, by Carlisle, Dumfries, and Portpatrick, for such a number of years as can be agreed on; and the whole Stock in trade and Household Furniture sold to the tenant, upon a fair appraisalment.

Along with the inn, and for the same space, will also be let, betwixt forty and fifty English Acres of very excellent and well inclosed Arable, Meadow, and Pasture Land, lying principally in that rich hold above the bridge, on the east side of the river, and within a hundred yards of the inn.—This inn is a most convenient and desirable stage from Dumfries, Grange-hall, Longtown, Lockerbie, and Langholm, and alone keeps post chaises and horses in the burgh of Annan.

As a dissolution of Parliament is very probable in the course of the present year, it, in that event, would be of advantage to a tenant who soon he entered to the possession; and, as the present possessor are to retire totally from the business, it will be no inconvenience for them to quit so soon as an agreement is made.

For further particulars, any who may incline to treat for the premises, will be pleased to apply to Richard Graham, Town-clerk of Annan, the proprietor.

SALE OF LANDS IN DERWICKSHIRE.

TO be SOLD by public roup, within the house of George Purves, innkeeper at Dunfermline, on Wednesday the 19th August 1879, between the hours of one and two o'clock afternoon.

THE following Parts of the Estate of **COLDINGHAM**, lying in the parish of Coldingham, and shire of Berwick, viz.

I. The Farm of **SILVERWELLS**, consisting of 120 English acres, or thereby, as presently possessed by Robert Lorain, at the yearly rent of 40 l. Sterling, upon a lease of which, there are three years yet to run.

II. The Farm of **PILMER**, consisting of 60 acres English, or thereby, as presently possessed by Alexander Bookless, at the yearly rent of 30 l. upon a lease of which there are 18 years yet to run. There is a yearly deduction of 3 l. from the rent, until Whit Sunday 1791.

III. The Farm of **NEWMANS OF WEST RESTON**, consisting of 93 acres English, or thereby, as presently possessed by David Dewar, on an old lease which expires at Whit Sunday 1792, at the yearly rent of 33 l. Sterling.

The above farms are all capable of great improvement. They will be sold to be held of a subject superior, for payment of an elderly blench duty.

The purchasers will be relieved of all stipend to ministers, and schoolmasters salaries.

The lands will be shown by the tenants, and Alexander Low at Woodend, near Dunfermline, will inform as to further particulars.

Copies of the articles of roup to be seen in the hands of Francis and John Andersons, writers to the signet, who will treat for a private sale before the day of roup.

SALE OF DALQUHURN PRINTFIELD.

FARTHER ADJOURNED.

Till the 16th Day of July 1879.

TO be Sold by public roup, on Thursday the 16th day of July 1879, at twelve o'clock mid-day, in the house of Thomas Durie, vintner in Glasgow.

THE Printfield of **DALQUHURN**, on the water of Leven, near Dumbarton, consisting of 20 acres or thereby, with the whole houses and buildings erected thereon; also complete machinery and utensils, every way adapted for carrying on an extensive business.

And on the following day there will be exposed to sale by public roup, at the same place, beginning at 11 o'clock, the whole stock of **WHITE** and **GREEN CLOTH**, prepared for printing, belonging to the company.

And on the said following day will also be sold, at the same place, a large and well assorted parcel of **PRINTED CLOTHS** for garments and furniture.—Linen and Cotton Handkerchiefs and Shawls, of a great variety of excellent patterns, and well finished—together with a great number of Copperplates and Prints, some of them new, executed in the best style, just ready for working.

The field, machinery, and utensils will be shown by Mr Thomas Carnie or George Paton at Dalquhurn. The green and white cloth, printed cloth, handkerchiefs, and shawls, with the copperplates and prints, are just now to be seen at Brown, McAlpine, and Company's warehouse and cellars, where intending purchasers will receive inventory and conditions several days previous to the sale. The progress of writs and articles of roup are to be seen in the hands of Thomas and Robert Grahame, writers in Glasgow.

MAHOGANY.

TO be SOLD by auction, on Tuesday first the 14th July 1879, at twelve o'clock noon, in Messrs. Young and Co.'s Timber Yard, adjoining the Glass House, Leith, Seventy Logs **MAHOGANY**, measuring about 30,000 feet, being part of the cargo of the *Liberty*, Cap. W. Walker, lately arrived from the Bay of Honduras; to be put up in such lots as purchasers shall incline.

Conditions of sale and specifications of the measurement, are in the hands of William Grinlay, broker in Leith.

Leith, July 8, 1879.

Upset prices still further reduced.

TO be SOLD by public roup, within the Parliament or New Session-House of Edinburgh, upon the 23d day of July 1879, between the hours of five and seven afternoon.

THE remaining part of the **SUBJECTS** which belonged to Andrew Cranston, in the Abbey of Holyroodhouse, viz.

I. The Tenement of Houses and Pertinents lying in the Abbey, lately possessed by Mrs Binning, at the free yearly rent of 47 l. 16 s. 10 d. Sterling, and the upset price, which was formerly proven to be 565 l. 2 s. 2 d. being twelve years purchase of the rent, has been repeatedly reduced, and is now fixed at the low sum of 400 l. Sterling, being little more than eight years purchase.

II. The yearly Fee-duty of 8 l. Sterling, payable to Mr Cranston by the representatives of the late George Miller, brewer in the Abbey. This superiority is proven to be worth 163 l. Sterling, being 21 years purchase of the fee-duty, but the upset price is now reduced to 135 l. Sterling, being under 17 years purchase of the fee-duty, exclusive of the casualties of superiority, which also go to the purchaser.

It may be observed that these subjects must increase much in their value by the plan now resolved upon, of carrying the great London Road in a course directly bounding with the property in the first lot.

The conditions of sale and title-deeds are in the hands of Mr John Callander, depute-clerk of Session, and copies of the proven rental may be got from Kenneth Mackenzie, junior, writer to the signet.

WINE CELLARS IN CALTON HILL.

TO be SOLD by public roup, within the Exchange Coffee-house, Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 29th of July current, at six o'clock afternoon.

SEVERAL CELLARS in that Large Tenement on the South side of Calton, lately built by John Horn, and presently possessed by Balie Shaw, entering by a large door immediately from the street. These cellars have been found by experience particularly adapted not only for preserving but improving liquors, and are of the following dimensions, viz. one cellar 28 feet by 14, two ditto 14 feet square, and one ditto 14 feet by 9. The whole substantially built, and with brick, and neatly fitted up with no fewer than 41 casks, consequently capable to contain among the largest stock of liquors kept by any one dealer in that line.

Apply to John Buchan, Esq. James's Court, who has powers to conclude a private bargain betwixt and the day of Sale.

TO BE SOLD.

THE Lands and Barony of **ROSEHALL**, lying within the parishes of Monkland and Bethwald, and shire of Lanark.—This estate consists of about 1665 English acres, of which 132 are in wood, grass, and copwood, the rest arable. The present free rent is only about 820 l. but very considerable rents will soon take place. Several valuable farms of coal run through the greatest part of the estate, which being at present worked by the proprietor, the produce is not included in the above rental. Seams of iron stone also appear in many parts of the lands, and the timber and natural woods are of very great value.

The Mansion-house, which is newly built, is large and elegant, and stands surrounded with beautiful woods on the banks of the Calder, which runs through the estate for above two miles.

This estate is remarkably well situated for roads, being bounded on the south by that leading from Edinburgh to Glasgow, thirty-five miles from the former, eight from the latter, and about five miles from Hamilton; and immediately on the north is the turnpike road from Glasgow to Airdrie, &c.

Great advantages may likewise be derived from the Monkland Canal, which is within a quarter of a mile from this estate.

Apply to Mr Erskine clerk to the signet.

FOR FORTHSHIRE.

TO be Sold by public voluntary roup, within the house of John Crockett, vintner in Cupar Angus, upon Thursday the 24th day of September 1879, betwixt the hours of twelve noon and two afternoon.

THE Farm of **DYKEHEAD OF CRAIGIES**, lying in the barony of Craigies, parish of Glenkiln, shire of Forfar, containing above 120 Scots acres, and all arable land, divided into four inclosures, and enjoying the privileges of pasture and common to the adjoining lands of Knappantony and Whitehill, and of peat, turf, and other fuel, in the mosses and hill of Kilry.

There is a good trading on the farm, built within these five or six years; and as it is at present let at only 32 l. it will admit of a considerable increase of rent. It is agreeably situated on the fourth side of the water of Itha, which forms the boundary of one of the fields at the Reeky Linn, a famous fall of 80 feet. It is about two miles distant from Ayr, ten from Forfar, eight from Cupar Angus, and fifteen from Dundee.

The lands hold of a subject superior, for payment of 20 l. Scots of fee-duty; the other public burdens are small, and the tithes are valued.

The tenants will show the farm; and for further information, application may be made to David Thomson, writer to the signet, South St David's Street, Edinburgh, who will show the title-deeds; and copies of the inventory of titles, and of the articles of roup, are lodged in the hands of Charles Hay, writer in Cupar Angus.

LANDS IN ARGYLE-SHIRE TO BE LET.

TO be LET, betwixt and Martinmas next, for such a number of years as shall be agreed upon, and entered to at Whit Sunday 1790.

THE following Farms, part of the Estate of **LOCHNELL**, viz. Balour, Island of Erika, Mils and Croft of Kentallen, Keil, Craignuck, Ledaig, Ferry of Connell, Lochannabach, Achmacremore, Achmacremore, Achmacremore, Achmacremore, and Shielding of Erika; the lands of Glenkiln, comprehending Inverkiln, Achmacremore, with the low grounds of Narrachan, and part of Pichin, Ardmady, and Deirrynsair, with the Forest; all lying in the parish of Ardcharn.

The Lands of Achlevan, Killaire, Laill, Kilmorag, and Mils of Stronfine; Burgals, Dountanachan, Clachdow, and Clenamachie, all lying in the parish of Muckairn.

The Lands of Strontellie, and Mill thereof;